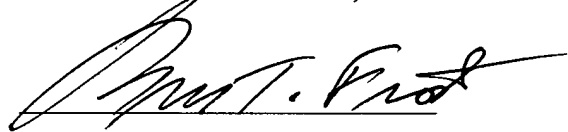


REMARKS

Claims 1-9 and 11-25 stand rejected based on nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting over claims of U.S. Patent 6,738,808. In response to that rejection, the applicants here submit a Terminal Disclaimer of a patent issuing from the present application, relative to the '808 patent. This Terminal Disclaimer is submitted as overcoming the rejection.

The foregoing is submitted as a complete response to the Office action identified above. The applicants submit that the present application is in condition for allowance and solicit a notice to that effect.

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